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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

WILLIE BENTON,) NO. CV 08 1073 EMC
Plaintiff,)
v.) DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE
ALAMEDA-CONTRA COSTA) A MAGISTRATE JUDGE AND REQUEST
TRANSIT DISTRICT, et al.) FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED
Defendants.) STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

The undersigned party in the above-captioned civil matter hereby declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge for trial and disposition and hereby requests the reassignment of this case to a United States District Judge.

Dated: April 23, 2008

/S/
Cathleen A. Wadhams

Counsel for: Defendant AC Transit

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